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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277  
Tadashi ENOMOTO, et al. : Confirmation Number: 3630  
Application No.: 10/791,826 : Group Art Unit: 3749  
Filed: March 04, 2004 : Examiner: Steven P. Griffin  
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For: BURNER FOR SYNTHESIZING GLASS PARTICLES AND METHOD FOR  
PRODUCING POROUS GLASS BODY

RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed May 19, 2005, please note that, per a telephone conversation with the Examiner, it was determined that the notice was mailed erroneously. Attached is a copy of the Preliminary Amendment filed on March 4, 2004 as well as the Supplemental Amendment filed May 27, 2005.

Respectfully submitted,

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